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1869-1882

19-11 Poultney St. (South side)

Baltimore, Md.

Private access

11 Poultney St. is a three story, three bay wide brick Italianate-style building with shed roof and bracketed cornice built in the early 1880's and which has always served a mixed commercial/residential function. Much of its original Victorian storefront is still intact. 13-17 Poultney St. is a group of two story, two bay wide brick houses with shed roofs and bracketed cornices, also built in the early 1880's and typical of the type of two story, Victorian -style house built in large numbers in this area in the 1880's. 19 Poultney St. , probably originally similar to the neighboring houses at 13-17 Poultney St. is now a three story, two bay wide brick house with shed roof. The house, built in 1869, was originally part of a group of such houses that extended east along Poultney St., from 19-29 Poultney St. The other houses in the group have since been razed.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

11 Poultney St.

CITY, TOWN

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Baltimore

VICINITY OF

STATE

COUNTY

Maryland

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

__DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

__STRUCTURE

__SITE

__OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

__PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

__BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

__IN PROCESS

__BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

__UNOCCUPIED

__WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED

__YES: UNRESTRICTED

__NO

PRESENT USE

__AGRICULTURE

☒ COMMERCIAL

__EDUCATIONAL

__ENTERTAINMENT

__GOVERNMENT

__INDUSTRIAL

__MILITARY

__MUSEUM

__PARK

☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

__RELIGIOUS

__SCIENTIFIC

__TRANSPORTATION

__OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

STATE, zip code

VICINITY OF

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Records Office Room 601

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

STATE

Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

__FEDERAL __STATE __COUNTY __LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION☒ EXCELLENT☐ GOOD☐ FAIR☐ DETERIORATED☐ RUINS☐ UNEXPOSED**CHECK ONE**☒ UNALTERED☐ ALTERED**CHECK ONE**☒ ORIGINAL SITE☐ MOVED

DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This three story, three bay brick building with shed roof and bracketed cornice was built in the 1880's and seems always to have had a first floor store-front. The building has recently been restored.

The house is three stories in height, 20' wide, and occupies a lot 63' deep. The house is two rooms deep and there is a two story high, two bay deep rear addition, followed by a one story high, two bay deep rear addition, extending back along Patapsco St. (The house occupies the south-east corner of Poultney and Patapsco Streets.) The house is constructed in running bond. The shed roof is capped by a wooden cornice consisting of a deeply projecting crown molding supported by a row of grooved modillions set above a row of cut-work scallops and a deep plain frieze area. There are no extant roof chimneys but there is a hooded rear end chimney located at the south end of the two story rear addition.

The second and third floor window openings have segmentally arched brick lintels. The sills are brick headers. All of the window openings are filled with 1/1 double hung sash, the upper panes of glass being cut to fit the curve of the segmentally arched lintels. The first floor area serves as a store-front. There is a central flush door set beneath an arched transom light bordered by a row of cut-work scallops. Two multi-light shop windows, set flush with the facade, flank the door. The windows are set on wooden bases and there is an arched panel set above each window. A wooden cornice extends across the entire width of the store-front. It consists of a deeply projecting crown molding supported by grooved modillions set above a row of cut-work scallops. Four grooved brackets support the entire cornice. The entrance is reached directly from the sidewalk.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1881-2

BUILDER/ARCHITECT George F. Bachman

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This building is interesting for being an example of the second phase of commercial/residential construction in the area surrounding the Cross St. Market, being built in the 1880's in the then popular shed-roofed, bracketed cornice, Victorian style. This type of building served the same function as its pre-Civil War gable-roofed predecessor, the first floor area serving as a store-front and the upper two floors serving as a residence for the family operating the store below. There is a separate street entrance to the private family quarters above. The facade of the first floor store-front is original to the building and provides a good example of the original appearance of the type of store-fronts that at one time lined nearby Light and Charles Streets.

The building was recently renovated and re-opened as a shop selling unusual woven items (baskets, etc.) and gourmet accessories. The business failed, however, and the store-front area is currently for lease.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATAACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 20'2" x 63'

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

M.E. Hayward / Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust / Struever Bros. & Eccles

DATE

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STREET & NUMBER

1745 Circle Rd.

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Ruxton

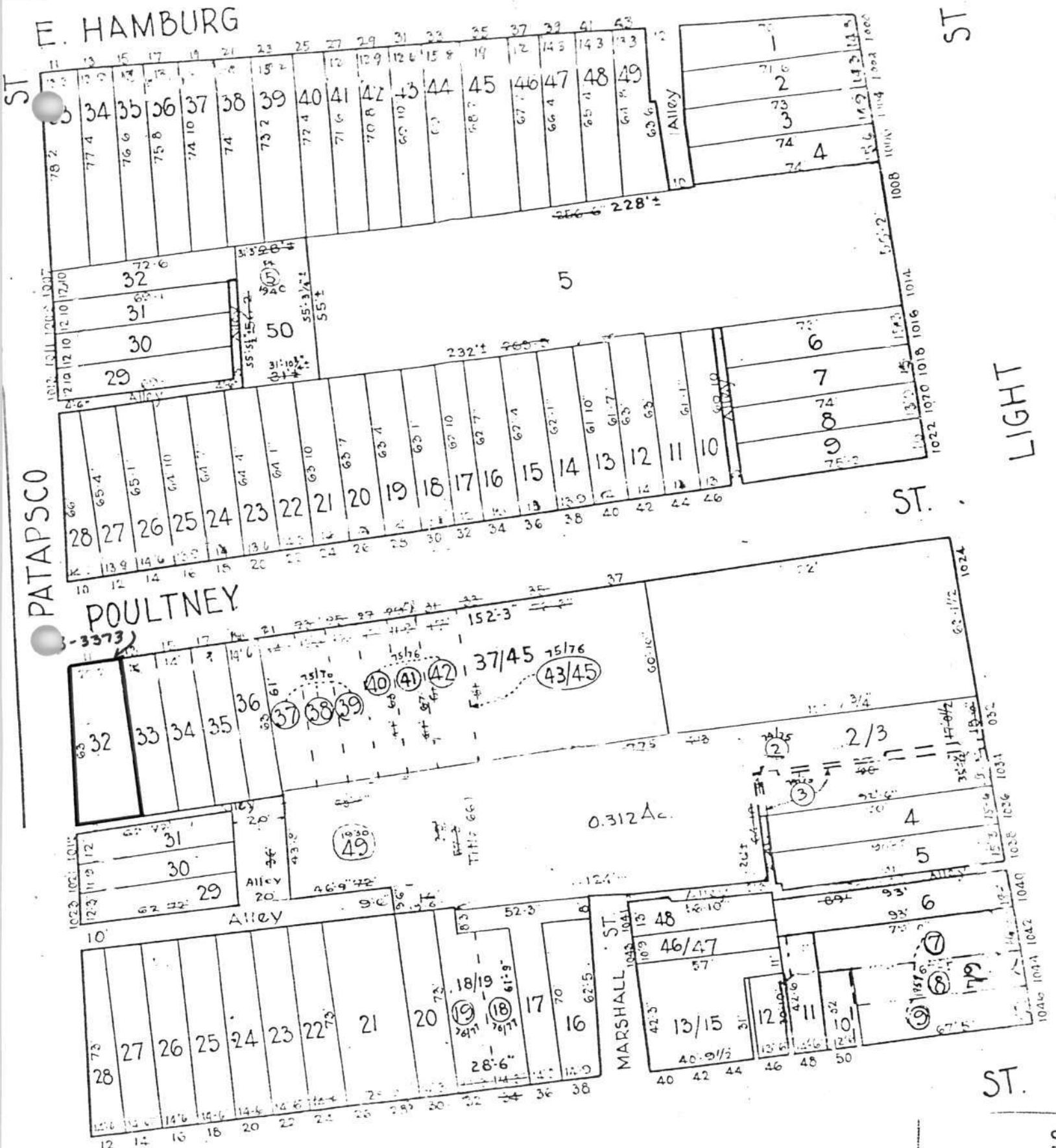
STATE

Maryland 21204

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North and west elevations